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BIG CAMPAIGN SUCCESSFULLY ENDED

WESTERN STATES PLAN BIG SPECIAL TRAIN EXHIBIT TOUR

The Coquille Commercial Club met in regular session at the office of the Pacific Real Estate Company Monday evening and while there was but little business of an important nature transacted, it was one of the best meetings of the club held since its organization. There were over twenty five members present and the best of feeling prevailed throughout the meeting. A possible exception to this statement exists in the efforts made by the members of the Herald side of the membership contest to get out of putting up for the banquet for the club which was to be the stake in the contest. However, this matter was finally adjusted.

Several matters of more or less importance to the club and the city and vicinity came up for discussion. The first taken up was the settlement of the contest which closed Monday evening. A canvas of the names of the new members handed in by the opposing sides showed that the Sentinel side had secured forty-five new members and the Herald side had secured nineteen, hence the Sentinel was declared the winner of the contest. The question of the banquet to be given to the club by the losing side then came up for adjustment.

Several members of the Herald side were present (five, to be exact) and these, being sadly in the minority, did not get quite all they wished for in the way of concessions as to the quality of the banquet to be furnished to the club. Some of them favored a clam soup banquet while others of the losers seemed unwilling to even tender that much in payment of the lost wager. However, a committee was named consisting of J. C. Savage, Stewart Lyons and Cal Slagle and the matter of making the preliminary arrangements was left in their hands with instructions to report at the next regular meeting.

The matter of a meeting place for the Club then came up for discussion and, resulted in the tender of the Ko-Keel Club rooms as a meeting place being accepted by the Commercial Club. In future the Commercial Club will hold their meetings in the large room of the Ko-Keel Club until permanent quarters can be obtained. The meetings of the club will be held on the same evenings as formerly—the second and fourth Mondays of each month—and it is the hope of the members that the attendance will continue to be as good at future meetings as it was at the meeting this week. Several of the new members were present this week and it is hoped that the interest will continue to the end that something worth while can be accomplished by the club before it passes its first birthday.

Card of Thanks.

We the undersigned desire to thank our many friends for the kindness shown during the illness, death and burial of our beloved wife and mother.

Joseph Ferry, Sr.
Wm. Floyd
Josephine Darnell
Pauline Byars
Rose Ferry
Mary J. Lee
Joseph Ferry, Jr.

Bancroft Items.

G. W. Herbert who has been sick for sometime is improving.

N. E. Landreth of Turlock, California who is visiting Coos County air for health is visiting F. J. Fish.

Miss Miller, Miss Buell and Miss Josie Houser went to Myrtle Point Friday evening to attend the closing exercises of the school at that place.

Mrs. Charles Everden of Coquille is visiting her sister Mrs. F. S. Fish.

The Culver boys are getting out lumber for the church to be built at Bridge in the near future.

L. J. Jewett and wife made a business trip to Myrtle Point on Saturday.

Miss Hess the principal of the Bridge school was visiting at Mr. Culver's Saturday night and at Mr. Price's on Sunday.

Mr. Rurtz is congratulating himself on having his family home before the rain set in.

AUTO.

Fresh vegetables at our store every week. Lyons & Jones.

FOR SALE.

A country store with postoffice in connection. A good, new building 24x30 feet, good business and acre tract of land. Inquire at the Herald office.

WOOD. WOOD. WOOD.

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NEW LAWS TO TAKE EFFECT SOON

Salem, May 17.—Providing all of the referendum petitions that have been threatened are filed with the secretary of state there will be 216 new statutes which will go into effect at midnight Friday in the state of Oregon.

Altogether there were 275 laws passed at the last session of the legislature, but eight of these carried emergency clauses and all told there will probably be six referred by the use of the referendum.

If the Malarky act extending the power of the state railroad commission to cover public utilities is not referred to a vote of the people, this will probably be considered one of the most important of the acts to become effective. This is largely copied after the Wisconsin law and is generally considered a measure of much merit.

Another bill of much importance which will become a law is that creating a state naval militia. This provides for the various officers of the militia and originally carried an appropriation, but was filed by the governor on the promise that the appropriation be left untouched.

Also a bill of wide importance to the state is the certification act which was introduced by Senator Hawley. This provides not only for comprehensive system of certification, but also for the standardization of normal schools, universities and colleges as well as for teachers' training departments in the public schools.

Oregon pioneers will hold their annual reunion and banquet at the Masonic Temple in Portland on June 21. Arrangements are now being made for this gathering by the Oregon pioneer Association. Secretary Geo. H. Himes is arranging a program of unusual interest and a large number of the sturdy pioneers who laid the foundations of our state will meet and recall the incidents of the past. Indian War Veterans will meet here on June 20.

Oregon jewelers will meet in Portland on June 5 and 6, these being the dates fixed for the fourth annual convention. Trade matters will be discussed and entertainment features will not be overlooked.

Portland people are making their plans for the annual Rose Festival, June 5-10, and the whole city is looking forward eagerly to the event. It will be bigger and better than ever this year and the latest string to the whole city will be out. Residents of other Oregon cities will be given a warm welcome.

Union will hold its annual horse show June 1, 2 and 3. Union County is the home of many fine horses and the exhibition will include high class draft stock, harness and fancy drivers. Some animals will be shown that will equal the best seen at national stock shows.

Portland's campaign for a big auditorium is now under way and there seems little doubt that it will be successful. Various business and improvement clubs are giving the movement their heavy support.

Eight to the Pen.

The secretary of state will also be authorized to appoint deputies if he so desires to act in his absence with power to sign his name to public documents, but not to serve on the state board.

White slavery is punishable under another new law enacted at the last session. The governor is authorized to appoint a commission which will meet to make recommendations as to the revising of the judicial system of the state and report to the next legislature. This commission is to consist of seven members, all lawyers.

Another bill which is of importance to the school interests of Portland is the act authorizing the creation of a teachers' retirement fund association.

Under this act teachers of that city may make annual payment for certain period of years and retire at the end of that time and be furnished an annual payment.

The office of state immigration agent will also become effective Saturday.

While the bill as signed by the governor is without appropriation, this being waived by those interested in the measure, promise has been made that funds will be raised by individuals to carry on the work.

A standard size for apple boxes is also provided for in the Websterland act.

The standard size shall be 18 inches long, 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide and 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches deep. A special size is also provided for which shall be 20 inches long, 11 inches wide and 10 inches deep. Inside measurement is used in connection with this act.

Among other laws which have become effective will be one giving the right to have a farm name registered. Fire crackers cannot be sold that are longer than two inches after a requisite time is given for dealers to close out their present stock.

Multnomah county will be authorized to build and maintain a county hospital.

Poll at primary nominating elections will be kept open all day instead of only a part of the day.

Another law which becomes effective provides for the examination and registration of graduate nurses.

An appropriation of \$50,000 for the Astoria Centennial celebration becomes available. Appropriations are made for bridges across the Snake river at Nyssa and Brownlee.

The name of the Oregon State Re-

form School will be changed to Oregon State Training School.

Another public holiday has been created on October 12 to be known as "Columbus Day."

Car repairs at division points must be protected by the railroads by the construction of suitable sheds to guard them against inclement weather.

Provision is also made whereby counties may establish farm libraries.

Dynamite cannot be carried on passenger trains.

Discrimination and rebating on Oregon railroads is prohibited in on of the laws passed.

Saloons cannot be located within 6 miles of any public works when these saloons are located there purposely to serve the men employed thereon with liquor.

Railroad track scales will be tested by the railroad commission and an appropriation is made for this purpose.

Municipal corporations may condemn property outside of their limits for sewer and water purposes.

A state purchasing board is created and a state purchasing agent is given office to act in an advisory capacity to the purchasing board.

The new parole board will also become officially in office and the laws providing for extending the indeterminate sentence so as to comply to all prisoners now in the penitentiary who might have come under an indeterminate sentence and making it mandatory on all judges to apply the indeterminate sentence where such is provided for by law.

Employers of labor will be required to report accidents to the labor commission that data may be secured by the next legislature relative to a compensation act.

Several laws have been passed relating to the engineer's office and the insurance department.

A plot for deceased Spanish-American War veterans is provided in a Portland cemetery.

It is made a crime to desert sheep on the range.

All convict-made goods that are sold in the state must be labeled as such.

A small license is imposed on private insane asylums.

County educational boards and the appointment of supervisors to aid county superintendents are provided.

Fraternal societies are protected by making it a crime for anyone to wear any insignia of an order to which he does not belong.

The name of the state bank examiner is changed to superintendent of banks, and extensive changes are made in the state banking laws.

In addition to these there are numerous minor and special laws which will go into effect. The index of the new session laws has been completed and the general laws will be ready for distribution in a short time. The state charges for these at the rate of \$1.25 a volume.

Hermann is Back.

Portland, Ore., May 22.—His health fully recovered, Binger Hermann, ex-Congressman and ex-commissioner of the United States General Land Office, was at the Imperial on his way back to Roseburg from a four months' tour of the countries, European, African and Asiatic, bordering on the Mediterranean.

"I shall return to Roseburg and resume my actual residence there," said Mr. Hermann. "My intention is ultimately to resume the practice of law."

When asked about a report from Washington, D. C., a few days ago crediting him with Congressional aspirations, Mr. Hermann said:

"I have given no cause for any such conjecture and have no intention of again entering politics."

Mr. Hermann is the picture of health. He said that never in his life had he been in better physical condition.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent." For sale by all dealers.

Dairymen's attention is called to a full stock of field seeds. Corn, vetch, beets, carrots, besides a full stock of grass seeds at Knowlton's Drug Store.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment wonderfully effective. One application will convince you of its merits. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

You should call at our store and let us show you our new stock of ladies' summer shoes. Utz & Dunn headquarters at Lyons & Jones.

Robinson still has a nice assortment of ladies' ready-to-wear dresses, tailored suits, shirwalts, etc.—drop in and look them over while his stock is complete. Also muslin underwear and embroideries.

Our new stock of Utz & Dunn oxfords have arrived and it will give us great pleasure to show them. Lyons & Jones.

BIG GALE DRIVES WASHCALORE ON ROCKS

WELL KNOWN COOS COUNTY WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. F. P. Norton, one of the best known and mostly highly respected women of Marshfield, died suddenly about 1 o'clock this morning at Mercy hospital. Her death followed an operation for appendicitis and peritonitis.

Yesterday she was rather restless but last evening she was thought to be getting along nicely. About 10 o'clock the physicians and Mr. Norton, who had been with her almost constantly, felt that she was getting along as nicely as could be expected and left for some rest. About 1 o'clock she suffered a sinking spell and before even a physician could be secured, she passed away, her heart apparently giving way.

Everywhere today, the news of her death was received with the greatest sorrow, coming as a shock to the host of friends of the deceased and her family. Until her recent attack of appendicitis, she had been especially healthy and rugged. She withstood the operation well but her ailment was of an unusually critical nature.

Alice M. Snyder was born in Lewis county, Washington, October 18, 1866, and was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder. In 1867, her parents moved to Douglas county and about 1874 moved to Coos county where she and they have resided constantly since. She was united in marriage to F. P. Norton in 1888. Besides her husband, Mrs. Norton is survived by her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder, and two brothers, George and John, all of Marshfield.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Norton residence, Rev. R. E. Browning officiating. The Rebekahs will have charge of the service at the cemetery.

Few women were held in higher esteem than Mrs. Norton and everywhere today expressions of sympathy for the bereaved husband and family are couched with intense regret.—Coos Bay Times.

Young Man Drowns at Lee.

On Friday at 7:30 p. m. Roly Norris, a young man twenty years of age, was drowned in the North Fork of the Coquille at the Lee schoolhouse. The victim of this accident in company with his brother, Alfred Norris, were making an attempt to cross the stream at this point, and at the time there was a considerable freshet in the river and the current was sufficiently strong to make the boat difficult to handle, and as it was swept out of its course it drifted over a snag or the branches of a tree under water and in an effort to keep it on an even keel, the craft was upset, precipitating the two young men into the water with the result that Roly was drowned while Alfred succeeded in reaching shore.

These young men recently came to Coos county with their father, Alex Norris, from Jackson county, this city, received the sad news of the death of their father, Jason L. Randleman, which occurred on Sunday, the 21st, at the family home at Mapleton, Lane county, Oregon, from a drowsy affection and other complications from which he has been suffering for several years.

The deceased was born in Sacramento county, California 51 years ago. In 1872 his father moved to Coos county, locating on Bear creek which locality was there home for many years. In 1886 he was married to Miss Sarah E. Barklow. To this union were born three sons and one daughter, Birdie L. Claude A., Ruby E., and Lester, all of whom survive him.

Mr. Randleman has a host of friends in this valley who will learn of his death with deep regret.

Myrtle Point.

On Friday about midnight as Mr. Ray Dement was going to his room in the Guerin Hotel he discovered smoke in the room and on farther search he and Mr. T. Guerin found the barbershop on fire, they broke in the door and a hand grenade extinguished the flames which had burned a hole two feet in circumference in the floor near the stove. An hour later and a disastrous fire might have ensued.

Saturday afternoon Dr. M. O. Stemmer's little son Bartow fell while playing and broke his arm just above the contracting parties.

The bride is one of Coquille's brightest and best girls who came to this city with her parents when an infant and has spent her entire life here where she has a host of friends who will with deep regret see her go from among us.

The groom is a young man who has the highest respect of all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance. He has been resident representative in this county for the past two years and during that time has made many friends among the lumbermen of the county.

The newly wedded couple were passengers for San Francisco on the Redondo for three weeks and will spend two or three months touring the southern states before returning to Coos County. They will make their permanent home at Marshfield.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dement, who are residents of Coquille.

Mr. C. H. Southmayd has been carrying the mail from Myrtle Point to Coquille for several days.

School closed here for the 19th inst for the summer vacation.

Rev. G. W. Taylor of the Presbyterian Church takes his departure for Newport in a few days. His wife left last week. Ill health is the cause of the change.

OBSERVER.

Remember, we are still selling the finest bread in Coos county, 2 loaves for 5c. Coquille Bakery and Confectionery.